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Get Ready For Spring.

Use Brandram-Henderson 100 p.c. Pure Paint and kill the "flu" germs. We have a large stock to select from.

Wall-Paper At A Sacrifice.

We have a stock of broken lines of wall-paper. This is first class stock, but in order to make room for our new supply we will sell this at a bargain.

Leave Your Order For Formaldehyde.

Agents for Fairbanks-Morse Gas Engines, and Red Jacket Pumps.

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Now Is The Time

To clean up and paint up. If you have new or old floors to finish use

61 Floor Finish

If you want to paint your house use

Martin Senour 100 p.c. pure paint

We have the very best in paints and varnishes and the prices are right.

We still have a few jugs of Formaldehyde

The Oyen Hardware Company

ANNOUNCEMENT

I have taken over the Agencies of the well known

Massey Harris and Cockshutt

Lines of Machinery.

Wood Boss Harrows

I can give you T. Eaton's prices on 5 Section 24 foot Harrows while they last, and a better article.

TRACTORS

If you are interested call in and get particulars of the New Case 15-27 Tractor. The last word in Tractor construction. I handle Great West, Waterloo and J. I. Case Separators.

REPAIRS

Do you appreciate getting repairs when you want them? My business policy is to give unexcelled repair service on the machinery I handle.

C. A. GILDERS,

OYEN

ALBERTA

Locals And Personals

Fred J. Thompson received the sad news last week of the death of his uncle, Mr. Elmit Ashwell which occurred on Friday, March 14, at Spalding, England. He succumbed to pneumonia following influenza. Mr. Ashwell was one of the best known amateur actors in South Lincolnshire.

G. W. Gorman, Official Trustee of the Oyen School District, S. S. Haddon, proprietor of the Alberta Livery Barn, purchased the Oyen Livery Barn and Dray business from John Shields. The deal was put through by J. Howard Alexander.

If you are requiring wall paper this Spring you cannot do better than look over my new pattern books. The designs are up-to-date and prices reasonable. Sample books may be seen at Kerr & Toul's office. —Western Ostrander, Oyen.

Services on the Fairacre Circuit on Sunday, May 4, will be as follows: University S. S. 11 a.m., service 11:30. Glonada S. S. at 2 p.m. and service at 3. Fairacre service at 7:30 p.m.

We are informed that wheat seedling in the Muhlbach district is practically all finished.

Friends of Pte. A. W. Yorath will be pleased to learn that he arrived in Canada from overseas on the 23rd of April and is expected to be in Oyen sometime this week. Pte. Yorath enlisted in 1915 and went overseas the same year. Previous to enlisting Pte. Yorath was farming near Oyen.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Howard James of New Brighton on Thursday, April 24, a daughter.

A. T. Attkock of Soul made a business trip to Saskatoon last week.

It is rumored that the C.N.R. surveyors who are working south of Oyen surveying the Acadia Valley line, will go north of town to survey a proposed line between Silbald and Coronation.

Mr. J. L. Parker, inspector of neglected children, Edmonton, was in town last week.

J. Howard Alexander made a business trip to Calgary last week.

Mr. D. D. Forster, government seed grain inspector, Edmonton, was a visitor in Oyen last Wednesday.

I. W. Lawrence, of Saskatoon, was the guest of Mr. Wm. Love last week.

Walter Marshall, the proprietor of the Red Sentry garage, is making extensive alterations to the garage, as well as building a large addition to the present building.

Miss Grace Bray, who is nursing in the Scottish Nursing Home, Calgary, is visiting her parents in Silbald.

Jas. Couper, of Calgary, was a visitor in Oyen last week.

H. Skeech has accepted a position in the Oyen Meat Market.

Our talented and accomplished pianist and violin player, Mrs. E. Marlett has received a special invitation from the people of Silbald and district to spend one day in the week in their town in order to give lessons to Silbald pupils on the piano and violin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Owens of Alaska were visitors in Oyen on Sunday.

THE QUESTION OF GOOD ROADS

The question of good roads is one of untold importance. It has been considered from time to time, by the press and other institutions in the district. It is not too much to say that the bad condition of the roads entails a heavier burden on the farmer's community than do the taxes. The waste of time, the wear and tear on wagons, the loss of opportunity to take advantage of high markets, and the cost to keep the roads even in their present condition, are appalling to consider. But the farmer is not the only loser. The merchant, and in fact every class is affected by bad country roads. The main roads to the town are of paramount interest to the people of the district, and every man in the district should use every effort to get these roads into good shape for traveling on. The great volume of trade in this country is the common road trade. Let everyone boost for good roads.

Oyen I.O.O.F. Hold Special Service

(Contributed)

A parade of the I.O.O.F. was held on Sunday evening to the Oyen Union church where Mr. Robt. Smith, editor of The Oyen News, addressed the members of the Order. The service this year was an incident in connection with the one hundredth anniversary of the founding of the Order of the I.O.O.F. The text chosen by the speaker was taken from Luke 8:27: "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart and with all thy soul and with all thy strength and with all thy mind; and thy neighbor as thyself. In his remarks he brought out the importance of not only having high principals but of living up to them. The I.O.O.F. based the principals of their Order on the foundations laid down by Jesus Christ. He told the story of the Good Samaritan and showed the need today of more practical Christianity.

Mr. Smith also gave a history of the organization and a brief review of what the Order had done during the great war.

We understand that the provincial government have mapped out two provincial hospital areas, comprising ninety-two districts, with centres at Oyen and Youngstown.

J. J. Kelly made a business trip to Calgary last week.

EXCEL U. F. W. A.

The ladies of Excel district recently organized a U. F. W. A. from the following officers were elected: Pres. Mrs. D. Burkholder, Vice Pres. Mrs. S. D. Gull elson, Sec. Treas. Mrs. E. Budd elson, Directors Mesdames C. Hove R. Anderson, H. Gull elson, L. Hummings and H. Hayes. The next meeting will be held on May 8th at the home of Mrs. D. Burkholder at 2 p.m. Lunch will be served. All farmers wives and daughters are cordially invited.

Garden Seeds and Flower Seeds

McKenze's, Steele Briggs & D. M. Ferry's Seeds
Union Sets and Onion Multipliers.

GOPHER CONTEST

It is our intention to give a Special Prize in connection with the Gopher Contest at the Oyen Fair held in August. Boys you must start now and save the gopher tails. Every tail counts and helps you to win the prize and also helping to get rid of these pests.

If you have faith in the country you will need one of our **RAIN COATS. All Styles and Prices.**

We expect a car of **POTATOES** to arrive here about the 22nd of April. These will be fine potatoes and the price will be the lowest of the season.

We have special values in **BOOTS** for Men Women and Children.

Remember we give 5 per cent off our marked prices for cash for everything but Flour, Sugar, Tobacco, Meats and Food. Special prices on all orders of \$5.00 and over. This saving is great—think it over.

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We carry all the BEST and most popular Brands of

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FIRST CLASS CONDITION.

Copenhagen Snuff Always New and Fresh

We Get Weekly Shipments.

Just Arrived Fine Assortment of Fancy Boxes
ASSORTED CHOCOLATES.

Hutcheon & Johnston

The Oyen Billiard Hall

Trial of Ex-Kaiser Not For Belgium

Paris. — The Belgian delegation at the peace conference informed the correspondent that Belgium had not been officially requested by the council of four to bring the former German emperor to trial, and that the Belgian government would feel obliged to decline to take the steps even if there were any request for such action.

The Belgian delegates hold that any action should be taken by a commission representing all the associated powers. The official Belgian view, it was said, is that the former emperor cannot be assigned for declaring war or violating the neutrality of Belgium, or for any act preceding or coincident with the declaration of war.

After pointing out that there is no tribunal competent to hear such charges against the former emperor, and no provision of international law covering such cases, the delegates said that Belgium expects that persons guilty of acts punishable under the criminal code of the belligerent powers should be placed on trial, as theft, murder and other crimes committed during the war do not require the criminal of responsibility.

"If the commission desires to assign General Baron von Manteuffel for the sacking of Louvain, General von Schroeder, for the murder of Captain Pratt and General von Sauerberg for the execution of Miss Edith Cavell, all the necessary documents will be forthcoming," said the general secretary of the delegation. "But Belgium does not seek revenge. It wants only justice. It would be small satisfaction to lock the Kaiser up for a few months in the Saint Gille prison and those who have reported that such revenge has been offered Belgium as a solace for her wrongs, have sadly misunderstood the Belgian character, if they thought it would be acceptable.

"The only case in which the personal responsibility of the former emperor for a criminal action committed in Belgium could be established beyond doubt, is in the case of civilians attending the deportations of civilians and compelling them to do forced labor in Germany. In this case, his responsibility is unquestioned."

Where They Belong

Over Two Hundred German Submarines at Bottom of Sea

New York. — Rear Admiral Sims, who commanded the United States fleet during its war time activities in European waters, said that he believed there were "205 German submarines at the bottom of the sea."

"In a speech at the Bond club, a Victory Loan organization, he said: "The fleet found many submarines sunk on the bottom with indications showing that many of the men came inside either committed suicide or killed each other."

Quiet in Odessa

Athens. — There had been no disorders in Odessa since its evacuation by allied troops.

Holland Fears Bolshevism

German Border Strengthened to Prevent Smuggling of Munitions

The Hague. — The frontier guard along the German border has again had to be strengthened because of the efforts made by Bolsheviks to smuggle arms and munitions to Holland. Ten Germans were arrested and twenty who were trying to come into the country were turned back. Every traveler who enters Holland is searched in Amsterdam. There is much interest in Amsterdam due to the demobilized soldiers, who, without a recognized leader come together daily and parade through the principal streets. While the police are engaged in trying to disband them other disorderly crowds raid shops elsewhere. Jewelry valued at hundreds of thousands of dollars have been looted. In almost every case the windows of retail amblers and then when the stockpinner runs out to see what is happening he is caught and held by the mob while his shop is robbed. Others hastily put up their shutters when they see bands of men and boys approaching.

Anarchy in Munich

Robbers are Looting Houses and Threatening Banks

London. — Complete anarchy reigns in Munich, according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph. All work has ceased. Trains are not running, and robbers are looting houses and threatening the banks, the dispatch states. The first infantry regiment is said to have joined the Spartacists.

Copenhagen. — German government troops have occupied the Baltic town of Madgeburg, according to a Weimar dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin. It is reported there has been fighting with many casualties on both sides.

Threaten to Use Force

Czech Forces Concentrated at Ostrova in Silesia

Warsaw. — News from Cracow state that Czech forces have been concentrated at Ostrova and Nowy Sztetyn, close to the line of demarcation between Czech and Polish armies in that region which was faced by the allied mission sent there. It is said that the Czechs have announced that they will settle the frontier question by force of arms.

A Czech detachment is said to have entered Polish territory at Lutynia, where it clashed with a Polish force, several Poles being wounded.

Greek Canadian Trade

London. — Reuter's learns, in connection with Canadian trade developments in Europe, that a Greek commercial commission is leaving Athens at an early date for Canada to ascertain the extent to which Canadian industries supply Greek requirements and to arrange preliminaries for placing Greek orders in Canada.

Raw Materials For Germany

May Be Allowed Before Peace Treaty Becomes Effective

Paris. — The council of four of the peace conference went into session with the question of the Adriatic again before it for consideration.

Arthur J. Balfour, British secretary for foreign affairs, took the place at the council session of Premier Lloyd George, who has gone to London.

The supreme economic council is considering the question of permitting Germany to have certain raw materials before the peace treaty becomes effective with a revision of the blockade regulations to that extent, and it is understood the prospects are good for favorable action. The economic council members are also considering a plan for the conservation of Italy's coal supplies. Belgium has been asked to name a delegate to sit on the economic commission.

German Officers Will Demobilize

Berlin. — It is officially announced that German officers will be demobilized and will formally leave the army when the war ministry is able to lighten the economic difficulties incident to their transfer to civil life.

Trade Outlook Bright

Market Is Opening for Sale of Canadian Products

Ottawa. — A cablegram to the Canadian trade commission in Ottawa, states that there is a promising outlook for the sale of Canadian products, especially of foodstuffs in Scandinavia, Denmark and Holland.

Import regulations for these countries have been undergoing considerable revision. Guarantees as to destination of imports into those countries, it is understood, must be furnished by consignees, but on this point there is little difficulty, and the supplies are for home consumption.

Considerable quantities of foodstuffs have been consigned especially to Denmark within the last month, such as wheat, flour, oils and pork products. Permits will be granted freely.

No Russian Approaches

London. — In answer to a question from John R. Clynes, a labor leader, whether approaches for peace have come from the Russian government, the premier said: "We have had no approaches of any sort or kind. None has been put before the conference."

Turkey May Start Next World War

Wants Treaty Revised

Demands Annexation of Land in Rhine Province

Paris. — The council of four took up the request of Belgium for a revision of the treaty of 1839 and Belgium's demand for the annexation of Malmédy, in the Rhine province of Prussia, southwest of Aix-la-Chapelle, and Moresnet, a small section of No Man's Land, the disposition of which was left undecided at the Vienna conference. It lies between the Belgian province of Liege and the Prussian Rhine provinces.

Until the outbreak of the war, Moresnet enjoyed the unique position of being without either a government or national allegiance. Its residents were in no army, paid no taxes and had no such modern institutions as railroads, posts and telegraph, depending on such accommodations as were provided by adjacent countries. The only government consists of a municipal administration.

London. — There will be another world war beginning in June 1926, according to a writer in the British Journal of Astrology. This prophecy, which is based on "Spiral," said for a series of horoscopes, has claims to have published a year in advance, in each case, the exact date of the war of 1914 and of the cessation of hostilities.

"The first phase of the next war," writes, "will begin with Turkey, which will lead to its final overthrow in 1921-22. At this time Prussian intrigue will dominate the position in the near east, affecting Greece, Turkey and Russia. But, according to my calculations, the great crisis will not be reached until June, 1926."

"In this great war, which may be regarded as Prussia's counter to the war of 1914-18, the military forces take their rise in Vienna and Berlin, ascend to Petrograd, penetrate through the whole of Russia and descend, via the Black sea and Turkey, in Asia, on to Syria and Palestine."

Another allied victory is predicted by "Spiral."

Say Huns Must Be Punished

Resolution Signed by 5,000,000 United States Women

Paris. — Premier Clemenceau received from Mrs. Charles H. Farnam, of New York, the representative of the committee for the protection of women under international law, a resolution signed by 5,000,000 United States women relating to crimes against women committed by the Germans and their allies during war. The resolution denounces the German attack on humanity through women's work as "inhuman and sinister."

Super-abundant proof exists, the resolution says, of the crimes which the armies of the central powers perpetrated against women in all the countries they invaded.

Demand is made that all officers, soldiers, and civilians belonging to the armies of the central powers who perpetrated any crime against women should be punished if possible. And that steps should be taken to prevent such outrages in the future.

Peace Treaty in Two Parts

Paris. — The peace treaty will be divided into two parts, according to the latest information in the French press. The first part will concern Germany and will include a clause by which she will pledge herself to comply with all agreements to be concluded with her former enemies. The second part will not concern Germany directly and will be signed only by Austrian, Bulgarian and Turkish delegates.

Another German Strike

Bremen. — A general strike has been proclaimed here. It is effective in most of the large works and on the tramways. The gas and electric lighting systems, however, are operating.



LET'S WAKE UP!

Our town should wake up to the fact that some one else is occupying the seat that really belongs to us. The intruder represents one of our own men. When will our town wake up? As long as we remain asleep the intruder will keep his place. Only when we decide on the policy of co-operation are we fully awake. We have seen the havoc and ruin of neglected home interests. Now is the time for co-operation.

"If you buy out of town and all our neighbors buy out of town, what in thunder will become of our town?"

Coming to Canada

Rumanian Ship Has Sailed Under Recent Trade Agreement

London. — Reuter's learns that a Rumanian steamship has left Liverpool for Montreal to load goods supplied by Canada to Rumania under the recently signed agreement.

Mr. Lloyd Harris, chairman of the Canadian trade mission, has left for Paris, where he intends to investigate Belgian requirements with a view to ascertaining what Canada would be able to supply and thus help in the work of restoration.

Canada will be represented at a large exhibition of British manufactures which is to be held at Athens this autumn.

Relief Force for Russia

London. — News from Novorossia is that the situation in the Arangel area has been considerably improved by reconnaissance against the Bolsheviks. The announcement that a relief force will shortly proceed to the front has had a marked effect on the spirits of the allied troops.

The most critical period, however, has not yet been reached, but it is believed that if the relief force is dispatched as soon as open water is available, the needed relief will be successfully accomplished.

Meanwhile recruiting for the relief force is proceeding throughout Great Britain.

Feb Holds Up Shipping

Melbourne. — The Commonwealth government has decided to prohibit the movement of all shipping from Australian ports in consequence of the severity of the influenza epidemic in Australia and New Zealand.

Playing with loaded dice is shaky business.

NEGLECTED COLDS

Lead to Consumption

Unless a complete cure is effected in the inflammation passes rapidly to the throat, bronchial tubes, and then to the lungs.

You can't make new lung tissue or a new non-inflamed consumption is practically incurable.

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Use Catarrhazone to prevent — use it to cure your winter ill — it's pleasant, safe and guaranteed in every case.

Fearful of Unjust Peace

German Press Denounces Conditions of Treaty

Berlin. — Semi-official French announcement of the conditions to be laid down in the treaty of peace are denounced by the German press. Prince Liechtenow, in an article in the Tagblatt, declares France "forgets that instead of leading to disarmament, an unjustly extorted peace will bring forth only fresh armaments throwing into the shade all former armaments, because the mailed fist peace can be maintained only by the mailed fist."

Declaring that a peace of violence must be absolutely rejected, he concludes: "Nobody can re-commence the war against us. Neither can we be forced out without the common enemy, communism and terrorism, throwing all mankind back into its primitive state."

"No German government can sign such terms," the Vorwaerts declares. "The entire statement must nevertheless settle with the inhabitants of the Saar valley who are thoroughly German, and they may find that the sums proposed as indemnities cannot be extracted, even if the last sheet is taken from our beds."

Some men are so self-confident that they are unable to distinguish between a cheer and a jeer.

Nova Scotia Man

Is Enthusiastic

For Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Made Him Well

A Year of Growing Kidney Trouble Brought Bright's Disease but He Found a Help in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Bellefleur, Yarmouth Co., N. S. April 21st. (Special). — "You can make me well. This joyful remark of Mr. Alcide Meuse, a well-known and highly-respected resident of this place, Mr. Meuse, who suffered for a year from kidney trouble, is embodied in the praise of Dodd's Kidney Pills. "I think everybody ought to use them all the time," he says, "then I can give the reasons for my enthusiasm."

"I first caught a cold," Mr. Meuse states, "and kidney trouble followed. My back ached, my head ached, my limbs were swollen and I had dark streaks around them. I was often dizzy and always tired. My skin itched and burned at night. I was troubled with nervousness and my limbs were ached."

"I had cramps in my muscles, backache and headache. Then Bright's Disease developed. A doctor attended me but the first real relief I got was from Dodd's Kidney Pills. I was cured as an indomitable man was extracted, even if the last sheet is taken from our beds."

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Answer: not much. So select a syrup that tastes just as good as

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"Turn Your Victory Bond interest into W. S. S."

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In this province alone \$150,000 in interest on Victory Bonds of the last issue will be due on May 1. This represents the simple interest for six months on the bonds sold last November, at 5 1/2 per cent. Re-invested into Thrift and War Savings stamps, this simple interest will grow and be virtually compound interest on the bond. Everyone knows the advantages of compound interest over simple interest.

Every bank teller, postmaster and bond broker in the province has Thrift and War Savings stamps, which he will give out instead of cash to anyone asking for them when redeeming Victory Bond coupons.

The appeal of the War Savings stamp on its own merits alone is great. By buying the stamps, you are lending money not to send the boys overseas to be wounded or perhaps killed, but to get them home and reinstated into normal life as quickly as possible.

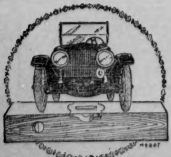
The printer's dollars—where are they? A dollar here and a dollar there, scattered all over the country—how shall they be gathered together? Come home, ye truants, to thy father's house; ye are wanted. Come here in single file, by columns or platoons—so that the printer may send ye back again to battle for him and vindicate his credit. Remember, if you find a dollar straying around your premises, send him home for he art ours.

Not long ago a rather bashful young woman went into a store carrying three chickens. She inquired the price of chickens and at the same time put them on the counter. The clerk didn't know the chicken's feet were tied, and asked if they would lay there. She hit her handkerchief and said: "No, sir; they are roosters."

An old couple had lived together for over forty years. The man said that he and his wife had never agreed but once in all that time, and that was when the house took fire, both agreed that the best thing to do was to get it out as soon as possible.

F. J. Whitlock has been appointed local agent for the Edmonton Granite, Marble & Stone Co. Anyone wishing to procure a monument consult him.

Buy W. S. Stamps, government "Baby Bonds."



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anced type Wallis adds 50 to 60 per cent to the actual pulling power produced from each gallon of fuel.

In one year's work the Wallis will show the lowest cost per acre of plowing.

In its lifetime it will show the most acres plowed per dollar of your investment.

You must judge a tractor investment by what you get out of it. What it does and how long it lasts—average per gallon of fuel—cost of oil per acre—repair cost per acre—all these items must be figured in.

The Wallis is America's Foremost Tractor, as expressed by experts everywhere—simply because it does the work per dollar invested.

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Industrial and Resources Department

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Whatever information we submit regarding crop conditions, weather conditions, or available lands, either improved or unimproved, will reach every agency, thus you will see the great advantage of placing your listing in our hands.

At the present time we are obtaining particulars from some of the successful farmers, of this district together with photos that may be considered of interest. This information will every reach agency of The Canadian National Railways in booklet form.

As the Head Office in Winnipeg informs us that they look for a big immigration after seeing, we are now revising our listing list; so if you wish to participate in our publicity campaign let us have your listing immediately.

We predict for The Oyen District, good substantial results from this source, and our policy will be as in the past, that is:—"We never guarantee to sell your Land but we DO assure you our best efforts."

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Second Wednesday in the month will

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Third Wednesday in the month will

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Fourth Wednesday in the month will

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LISTINGS WANTED

We have just received information from the States asking for listings of improved farm lands in this district, and if you are contemplating selling, list your farm with us.

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Real Estate Dealer

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The Department of Education will furnish tuition free. The session will close in time for those qualified to enter the Normal School or proceed with University work. All likely to attend should advise the Department *at once that all courses required may be included in the plans.*

Balance at credit of Profit and Loss
Profits for twelve months ended
 est accrued on deposits, reba
 debts
Recovered from over-appropriation

Appropriated as follows:
Dividends Nos. 116, 117, 118, 119,
To Pension Fund.....
War Tax on Bank Note Circulat-
To Patriotic, Red Cross and Its
Transferred to Bank Premises A-
Transferred to Reserve Fund....
Balance of Profits carried forward

To the Public		LIABILITIES
Notes of the Bank in Circulation		
Deposits not bearing interest	\$2	
Deposits bearing interest, including interest accrued to date of statement	4	
Balances due to other Banks in C		
Balances due to Banks and Bankspondents in the United Kingdom		
Balances due to Banks and Bankspondents elsewhere than in C the United Kingdom		
Acceptances under Letters of Credit		

To the Shareholders:
 Capital Stock paid in.....
 Reserve Fund.....
 Balance of Profits carried forward.....
 Dividend No. 119, payable 1st March.....
 Former Dividends unpaid.....

JOHN S. HENDRIE,
President.

In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the Bank, the Board of Directors has examined the books and records of the Bank, and in our opinion the transactions of the Bank are correct and in accordance with the Charter of the Bank.

Hamilton, 16th March, 1919.

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THE DAIRY COW.

The dairy cow, a thing of charm. She lifts the morgengrass from the farm, and makes the farmers' life more sweet, and sets him down on easy street. Where'er the dairy cow is seen, a country prospereth is seen. And dairymen in joy to find, are packing bullock to the banks. Why play along the fields and wads, producing nutmegs, prunes and hay, and putting the milk on a bankrupt wall if one year's crop should chance to fail and there is a better method now, the method of the dairy cow. This critter lays eggs every her keep, and piles up riches like a hen deep, and pays the taxes and the rents and the bills by the nest. She lays, gentle, gentle, and she lays the eggs of all our golden wealth, and she lays the eggs of all our golden wealth. So let us boost the Holstein cow, the Jersey, the old breed-leading pound, the Guernsey and the Jersey cow, so smooth as any cow in view. Let's talk up dairies, milk and cream, the safest money-making business. — WALT MASON.

BATTEN BAILEY,
DEVALU SEPARATORS AND HARDWARE,
Lanfine. - - Alta.

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47th ANNUAL STATEMENT

28th February, 1919

Bank of Hamilton

BOARD OF DIRECTORS :
 SIR JOHN HENDRIE, K.C.M.G., C.V.O., *President*
 CYRUS A. BIRSE, *Vice-President*
 TON ROBT. HOBSON W
 DO, K.C. J. TURNBULL W

J. P. BELL, General Manager

Profit and Loss Account, 28th February, 1918.....	\$ 232,421.50
Profit and Loss Account, 28th February, 1919, after deducting charges of management, interest on current discounts, and making provision for bad and doubtful debts.....	571,235.10
	100,000.00

		\$98,617.30
12% per annum.....		\$50,900.00
Paid.....		\$7,216.95
Fund.....		\$7,509.61
Unit.....		13,136.00
		\$79,988.85
		\$85,114.50

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AUDITOR'S REPORT

of Sub-sections 19 and 20 of Section 55 of the Bank Act, we report to the
Lance Shieff with the books and vouchers at Head Office and with the certi-
ficates have obtained all the information and examinations we have required,
and we hereby certify that the books and vouchers have been examined and
verified the securities of the Bank at the Chief Office and at several of the
branches covered by this report, as well as on February 23rd, 1919,
the entries in the books of the Bank with regard thereunto, and we
properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state
of the best of our information and the examinations often us, and as shown by

C. S. SCOTT, F.C.A.,
of C. S. Scott & Co.,
Auditors

FARM LANDS for SALE AND INSURANCE KERR & TUEL LISTINGS WANTED.

Office:—Main Street, Oyen.
Next to Cooper's Store.

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We have just received our new Stock of

AI. MEN'S SHOES

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HEAVY RUBBER BOOTS

Sizes to foot all feet.

These Boots have been bought right and we are able to sell them at very reasonable prices.

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We have a complete stock of Fresh Groceries, Fruit and Vegetables. Also we receive daily

Shelly's Famous Bread

Give us a trial order and leave the rest to us.

The Cooper Trading Co.

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If You Want Prompt and Satisfactory SERVICE

Get Your Draying done by

J. R. SANDERS,

At The Alberta Livery Barn.

For Farm Lands, Loans AND INSURANCE

I am now in my new offices opposite Bank of Toronto

I have some big Snaps in Choice Improved Quarters, Halves and Sections. Tornos, a small cash payment, balance to suit purchaser.

Now is the time to buy, when land is cheap and prices of grain high. One crop will pay for a good farm.

See my list before you buy.

What about that loan?

The companies that I represent still have money to loan on improved farms.

A few houses in town. Easy terms.

Have you all your buildings and contents fully insured?

Chas. H. Longueau,

Life, Fire and Marine Insurance. Real Estate Money to loan.

Agent for Grand Growers Securities Land Co.

BENTON NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Spoors of Sibbald were in town last week.

Mosses, Denton Bros. had two tractors shipped in here last week, the "Little Giant" and "The Wallace" which will be used for demonstrating.

The telephone poles are now here for the long distance line which is to be built this summer.

W. E. Struble has purchased a runabout car.

E. G. Talbot of Alaska was in town last week.

Seeding is in full swing in the district and Benton is one "busy burg" at this time of the year.

SPRING VALLEY ITEMS

Sunday, May 11th will be observed as Flower Day, also as Mother's Day. All parents having children they wish to have christened are requested by the pastor, Rev. R. E. Finlay to bring them to this service at 1:30 p.m.

The Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Regan's on Thursday, May 8, at 2 p.m. All are welcome. Come and hear what other Institutes are doing.

H. H. Spicer, manager of the Crown Lumber Co. of Oyen, returned last Sunday from Calgary where he has been on a business trip.

J. A. McColl, M.L.A., and Mr. Price of Youngstown, were visitors in Oyen last Thursday.

F. J. Whitlock has been appointed local agent for the Edmonton Granite, Marble & Stone Co. Anyone wishing to procure a monument consult him.

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Highest Price Paid
Weekly Deliveries
For Real Satisfaction Ship Your Cream to
THE HANNA CREAMERY
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WEED INSPECTORS WANTED

for the
Municipal District of Cereal
Applications will be received by the undersigned up to noon on the 8th day of May, 1919, for the position of Weed Inspectors in the six divisions of the district.
W. E. PETERSON,
Sec. Treas. M.D. of Cereal,
No. 212,
Oyen P.O.

Attention! Horsemen!

My Percheron stallion, Stream will stand at Benton, Monday and Tuesday, Oyen, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of each week at Jack Shield feed barn for the season. Stream is a beautiful dapple brown, weight 2200 lbs. A pure bred Percheron with all papers up to date and has proved himself a ninety per cent foal getter. For further information see the groom: Tom Hicks. L. I. Peers, owner Acadia Valley, Alberta.

DEVELOPING AND PRINTING
LABORATORY MAIL-TELETYPE
FILMS SUPPLIES ETC
THE ART PHOTOGRAPHY
SARAFATON BARR.

CLEANING AND DYEING

Send your old clothes and house furnishings to Rose to be dry cleaned and dyed and save many dollars through the year. We handle the most delicate fabrics. If Rose cleaned it—it's CLEAN. Arthur Rose, Saskatoon, Sask.

Miss Annie Horne, of Seal district, left last week for Calgary where she will train for a nurse in the Holy Cross hospital.

Shipping Next Tuesday

Sell Your Cattle

—TO—

Chas. E. Beard

Best Prices Given.

Do You Realize

That a good farm is judged by the improvements thereon?

Good buildings are the first requirements of a successful farm. If your place lacks the proper buildings, why not see the "Beaver" man and arrange to get them. The "Beaver" is ready at all times to assist the farmers of this country in improving their buildings. We have the goods and can make immediate arrangements under any reasonable terms.

Thousands of patrons in the last seven years will bear us out in this. Whatever you require for this coming season you will find at the "Beaver."

"Get it at the 'Beaver.'"

Beaver Lumber Company

H. Hancock,

Manager.

Do Your Own Thinking.

And buy your Agricultural Implements, Engines, Threshers, Plows, Wagons, and Automobile, from the firm you think can give you the best service.

Don't overlook the fact that good service is of value to you, especially on small engines, tractors, and automobiles; and we have equipped our shop to repair anything, from a needle to a steamboat.

When in the market for a tractor remember we handle the well-known TITAN. Some of the local users of this tractor are: John A. MacArthur, Hanson and Anderson, Eric Berg, W. DePree, and J. Johnson, to whom you may refer as to reliability and service of this line.

See us before buying elsewhere. We appreciate your trade.

We handle the complete I.H.C. line and have a large stock of repairs for all their machines.



Call and let us show you the Fordson Tractor.

Our expert mechanics are at your service for all engine troubles that may crop up.

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